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NEWS GATHERED

Thanksgiving Services of Interesting Character to Be Held at St. Paul's Church.

"SLAVERY CAUSE OF WAR

So Asserts Mr. George S. Bernard Before A. P. Hill Camp Confederate Veterans.

BRISTOL, VA., March 2.—Charged with ambushing and shooting James this city and vicinity to join in thankagiving services in commemoration of the three hundredth year of Christian civilization in Virginia, the Jamestown miony having landed in May, 1607. The services are to consist of prayers and hymns, and addresses will be made by Mr. John W. Wood, of New York, assistant secretary of the board of missions and editor of the Spirit of Missions, and by Rev. Dr. C. B. Bryan, rector of Grace Episcopat Church; Judge J. M. Mullen and fir. W. W. Robinson, of Norfolk, head secretary of the missionary thank of ering of the diocese. In announcing the meeting, the diergymen are corsifally inviting members of other denominations, and are emphasizing the fact that no collection will be taken up.

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Mr. George S. Bernard, a well-known lawyer of this city, Confederate veteral and authority on Civil War history, gave a second lecture on "Slavery, the Leading Cause of Secession," before the A. P. Hill Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans, at the camp hall last night, and concluded his most instructive and interesting review of the original political and economic causes of the Civil War with stirring accounts of that great struggle.

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last, on a charge of selling liquor on Sunday, and without a license, but on appeal to the liustings Court the case was thrown out of court on counsel's contention that the prosecution had proceeded under the wrong statute. Wright was arrested a few days ago on a new warrant, and was sgain released yesterday afternoon by Judge Mullen on a writ of habeas c rpus, because of another defect in the new warrant, only to be immediately arrested for the third time on a third, corrected, warrant, which had been prepared in anticipation of the release. The prisoner, who is represented by Willicox & Willicox, will have another hearing in the Mayor's Court next Thursday, the case having been continued to-day.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., March 2.—A.

T. Lawshe has been selected to succeed. Third Assistant Postmaster-General Madden, Mr. Lawshe is from Indiana, and was auditor to the Post-Office Department under President McKinley. Later he was auditor for Cuba during the American cocupation, following the Spanish War, and for several years he has been auditor for the Philippines.



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WILLIAM AND MARY DEFEATS H. MPTON

Fast and Scrappy Game Witnessed by Large Crowd Results in Score of 31 to 8.

centested fiercely at every stage of the grine.

The game began promptly at \$130 o'clock, the crowd with which the building was filled giving the team a starfer with ear-splitting yells and cheers. William and Mary started out well, playing fast, snappy ball, and for a while it looked as if Hampton would not score. The ball was around the goal post of the home team confinually, and the score was rapidly mounted up. Toward the latter part of the first half, however, the visitors took a brace and succeeded in making two goals. The half ended with a score of 16 to 4, in favor of the home team. In the second half the visitors started off well to retrieve their fortunes, making two more goals in the first few minutes of play.

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After this the ball again stayed around William and Mary's goal for the rest of the game. William and Mary now rapidly mounted the score up to thirty-one points. The following was the line-up of the teams:

William and Mary—Hall, right forward: Driver, left forward: Marxden, centre; Ellis, right guard, Schlossberg, left guard.

Hampton—Gatewood, right forward: Weymouth; left forward; Cunningham, centre; Taylor, right guard; Walker, left guard.

Referee, Harry Elam; timekeepers, R. B. Dade and L. J. Richardson; Duvall and Hope, scorers.

HOW BOOKMAKER'S WIFE GOT AWAY

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Carruthers, the New York newspaper man, brought the mysterlous one to this city in connection with a circulation scheme of a local newspaper. Carruthers advertised the fact of the intention of his protege to visit the betting ring on "some day in a short while." In some manner or other the rumor in effect that he would be in the ring on last Thursday gained currency. A mob of people earne into the enclosure looking for Raffles. Plunger "Whitey" Langdon, who had come through the Raffles frenzy in New York last year, informed two of the "Mets" that Bookmaker Fred Cook had Raffles working among his crew. In tein minutes a curious mob of 500 men stood jammed around the booking stand of the Missouri odds purveyor. The more Cook thed to stall the Raffles hunters away, the more steadfastly did they confide in Langdon's tip. At that Cook got about \$1,300 more money to the last two races of the day than he would have otherwise. Landon's joke was, after all, lucrative, though embarrassing, in result to Cook. At night the new \$1,000,000 Denechaud Hotel and the St. Charles Hotel "paddock" find hundreds of Raffles enthusiasts trying to find him in the hope of getting the \$500 reward. Some of them gave up the idea of locating winners long, long ago.

INDOOR GAMES AT BALTIMORE

BALTIMORE, MD., March 2.—The Fifth Regiment Armory was well-filled to-night with an audience that showed great interest in the indoor games of the Johns Hopkins University and the Fifth Regiment Athletic Association. Baker, of Swarthmore, broke the South Atlantic record for the half mile. A. C. Rundelph, of the University of Virginia, was second in the high-jump handleap, won by Waters, West Branch Y. M. C. A.

The one-mile relay was won by University of Virginia, who defeated Johns Hopkins, Time, 3:35.

Chess Game a Draw. NEW YORK, March 2,—The ninth game of the Lasker-Marshall champlon-ship chess match was drawn to-night after forty-six moves. Marshall played the queen's gambit ucclined. The score now is: Lasker, 5; Marshall, 9; drawn, 4.

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Ladies' Suit, Eton effect, with plaiting in Eton, with fancy braids, long sleeves, skirt plaited; for \$12.50.

Misses' Suits, coat box, in Shepherd Plaid, me Tan and Gray, with plaited skirt; for

Misses' Suits, in Gray, box coat, long sleeves, plaited skirt; for \$11.00.

Silk Suits

Ladies' Silk Suit, Eton, made Gibson effect, with trimming of white silk braid and tassel, with 3-4 length sleeve, with turn-back cuffs, skirt nine gore, with plaiting down every other panel; for \$22.60.

Ladies' Silk Suits, Jumper style, with lace waist Jumper, trimmed with black ribbon velvet in check effect, skirts made tucked around hip, with three rows of wide ribbon velvet around the bottom; for \$27.00.

Ladies' Silk Suits in Tan, Blue and Black, three-piece suit Jumper, trimmed with a plaiting of silk, finished with silk, gold braids, Bolero effect, girdle of same goods, 3-4 sleeve, skirt nine gore, plaited; for \$32.00.

Ladles' handsome Volle Skirts, in Black and White, Shepherd plaid, made with Gibson Eton coat, elaborately trimmed in hand embroidery, with grey taffeta stitched vest and trimmings, finished with plaitings of German Val. lace, skirt made in very latest style, plaited with blas bands, finished with gray stitched bands, something entirely new and very stylsh bands, something entirely new and very stylsh bands.

High-Grade Suits

Ladies' Suit of Nile Green, two-piece, fancy drop shoulders with fancy tabs, with stitched girdle, with bands in front, seven gore plaited skirt, with wide band around bottom; for \$65.00.

Ladies' Tailor-made Suit of Chiffon Panama. Pony Coat, trimmed with braid and buttons, large crochet, with vest of light blue silk, with fancy braid, taffeta lined, with skirt plaited; for \$50.00.

Reefers and Waists

Children's Spring Reefers, box coats, in Tan Checks, long sleaves; for \$7.50,

Ladies' Net Waist, made on China Silk Lin-ing, trimmed with cluny lace, elbow sleeves; for

Ladies' Net Waist, yoke rounding with fancy medalions, elbow sleeves, with tucks; for \$8.00. White Lawn Walst, tucked front to form half yoke, elbow sleeves; for \$1.50. White Lawn Waist, trimmed with narrow val. back and front, elbow sleeves, with Val. on sleeves; for \$2.15.

Special Sale of White Bed Spreads, Towels and Sheets.

1 lot of Damask Towels, 22x47 inches, worth 37 1-2c. Special, 25c.

1 lot of Huck Towels, 22x44, 16 2-3c value; 12 1-2c. 1 case of Linen Finished Sheets, \$1x90, worth 75c; now 59c.

Pillow Cases, 45x36, 25c quality; 19c. Hospital Quilts, Red Cross; 8-4 for \$1.98, 10-4

Crochet Quilts, Marsellies patterns, fully 10-4 Special Marseilles Patterns, 10-4, newest de signs, only \$2.19.

Knotted Fringe Quilts, full 10-4, only \$1.50. 1 case of cuilts, full 10-4, slightly damaged, only \$1.00.

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I think batting is natural for me. I could always hit the ball, even when playing in boys' games years ago. I had to learn to be a fielder, but batting was a gift of mature.

Back in 1901 I was working on a farm, and playing ball on the side cnce or twice a week in a small town called Sallx. A manager at Biencos. Ia., offered me a chance to break into miror league ranks.

The Biencos team was to play at Onawa at a Woodmen's pienic, against the Whiting team. Teams in that section were in the habit of "plugging up" against each other. In other words, they would get players from Omaha or other cities.

We got a tip that Whiting was going to have several players from Omaha, and our manager wired. Will Rourke, manager of the Omaha Western League team, to send us a battery. He sont

manager of the Omaha Western League team, to send us a battery. He sent Buckley and Alloway, and what we did to those Whiting boys was a shame. We walloped them 11 to 2. I played shortstop and put up a star game at the bat and in the field, ac-cording to Buckley. The result was I signed with Omaha that fall. My first games were against Denver, and I guess I made good from the start.

CRESCENT CITY DERBY BE RUN THIS MONTH

By J. S. A. MACDONALD.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 2.—On the 23d of this month will be run and won the banner horse-race of the winter turk season, the Crescent City Derby of \$10,-000, New York may have the Suburban Handicap, and San Francisco the Burns Handicap, but nothing so arouses public interest in the Lower Mississippi country and the great Southwest as and the great Southwest as

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Richmond Amateur Baseball League

Executive Committee will meet on THURSDAY, March 7th, in The Times-Dispatch offices, at 8:30

Business: Election of President; adoption of schedule.